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PRESS RELEASE

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Type of Incident: Fatal Traffic Collision

Location: Brookhurst Street south of Adams Avenue, Huntington Beach

Date/Time of Occurrence: December 6, 2011 at 1:50 PM Case Number: 2011-020384

Details:

On December 6, 2011 at about 1:50 PM, the Huntington Beach Police Department received a report of a traffic collision on Brookhurst Street south of Adams Avenue. The arriving officers discovered a maroon colored 1982 Chevrolet, Silverado, pick-up truck had collided with a black and orange 2009 Yamaha motorcycle. It appears the motorcycle was travelling south on Brookhurst Street prior to the collision. The motorcycle rider was wearing khaki pants, a black leather jacket, a camouflage backpack and a black/white/red helmet.

The Chevrolet pick-up truck was driven by a 20 year old male resident of Huntington Beach.

The motorcycle rider was treated at the scene by Huntington Beach Fire Department paramedics. He sustained severe injuries and was pronounced deceased at the collision scene. The identity of the motorcyclist will not be released until next of kin is notified by the Orange County Coroner's Office.

No arrest or citation has been issued at this time, and this is an ongoing investigation. The Huntington Beach Police Department is seeking witnesses regarding this collision. Anyone who saw the collision or who has information regarding the driving behaviors of those involved is encouraged to contact Officer Barr at 714-536-5666.